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SUBJ: TERRORIST SUSPECTS ARRESTED IN WEST BANK

- 1. NEWS MEDIA HAVE REPORTED IDF ANNOUNCEMENT OF ARREST OVER PAST FEW WEEKS OF MORE THAN 50 WEST BANK ARABS SUSPECTED OF MEMBERSHIP IN POPULAR FRONT FOR LIBERATION OF PALESTINE (PFLP). THEY ALLEDGEDLY BELONG TO NINE TERRORIST "CELLS". IN ADDITION THREE FATAH GROUPS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN BROKEN UP IN NORTHERN WEST BANK, TWO IN TULKARM AREA. ONE OF THESE IS ACCUSED OF FIRING ON BUS CARRYING ARAB WORKERS TO ISRAEL LAST MARCH AND SETTING EXPLOSIVE CHARGE IN NABLUS ON ELECTION DAY (APRIL 12.)
- 2. IDF SPOKESMAN PROVIDED NO NAMES OR OTHER INFORMATION. LOCAL RED CROSS (ICRC) DELEGATE TOLD US HE HAS NO INFORMATION ON THESE ARRESTS SO FAR, ALTHOUGH HE HAD HEARD REPORTS OF RECENT ROUNDUP OF SUSPECTS IN EAST JERUSALEM. JONES

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